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## Crews moving on to non-priority roads

BY KEVIN VINK  
MVP Staff

Town crews have cleared the snow and ice from priority routes for the most part, and are now whittling away at the many residential streets that still need attention.

Greg Skotheim, manager of public works, said crews are doing the best they can to keep roads clear and safe for drivers using salt, sand, and machinery.

Crews have cleared every road at least once this year, and are now returning to residential streets that are in the worst shape, he added.

"We're just going to try and continue on and do everything twice this year, as best we can within our budget," said Skotheim.

Work resumed early this month after council allotted an additional \$20,000 to the snow removal budget. The initial budget ran out late in December.

He noted that for now, the additional funding has been sufficient, but "if we start getting more and more snow, I'm going to have to go back to council again," he said.

"I think we're going through a record year. And you listen to other communities - Mountain View County and other towns - it's not just a Didsbury issue.

"We're doing the best we can, but other places have significant overruns in their budget - more than \$20,000, anyway."

He added that his department has been responding to complaints, although he is trying to use his resources in the most strategic way.

"We're just trying to do the best we can within our means, and we really appreciate the patience people have given us, as well as the assistance from local contractors."



Kevin Vink/MVP Staff

Town crews are seen here scooping up snow and ice that had been scraped off the road. Crews are now moving onto side roads and residential streets.

## Town seeking hosts for Miki Town students

BY KEVIN VINK  
MVP Staff

This year will mark the 10th anniversary of the Maple Leaf Exchange program, and town officials are seeking 15 families willing to host a Japanese student for a few days this March.

Although the trip to Japan for local students had to be cancelled due to low registration numbers, Japanese students are still scheduled to come to Didsbury from March 20 to 24, according to CynDee Walden, human resources and communication coordinator for the Town of Didsbury.

"We're looking for host families that would open up their home to host a student or students so that the Japanese can experience Canadian culture, and specifically Didsbury's culture," said Walden.

She explained that host families don't have to do anything special, just treat the students as family to give them the full Canadian experience.

"They go to school with the students, and if the family goes to church or a family event, we encourage the families to bring them along, and just treat them like they're your own."

There will be a welcome dinner on Thursday, March 20, during which families will be able to meet their students, with a trip planned to Telus Spark in Calgary for the Friday.

There is also a trip planned to an acreage located by the Red Deer River.

"We do it every year and that's probably the highlight of the visit for them. They just love being outside. We do snowballs and do a campfire, roast hamburgers and hotdogs,

that kind of thing."

The only requirement for host families is that they have children, and although Westglen staff have always supported the exchange, host families' students don't have to be Westglen students, and host families don't have to be located in town either, she noted.

The Japanese students will be between the ages of 14 and 15, so that is also something for potential hosts to keep in mind.

There will be a few other community events held in town during the exchange, which will be announced closer to March. The deadline for those interested in hosting a student is Saturday, Feb. 15, she said.

Forms are available online, and for those who would like further information, Walden asked they contact her directly at 403-335-7724 or ([cwalden@didsbury.ca](mailto:cwalden@didsbury.ca)).

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# Free sand-salt mixture for sidewalk application

BY KEVIN VINK  
MVP Staff

Town of Didsbury officials are making a sand and salt mixture available to residents for free to help deal with the ice at their properties, according to officials.

Many residents have undoubtedly found themselves unable to completely remove the ice on their sidewalks from the recent series of thaws and overnight freezes.

Greg Skotheim, manager of public works, said the mixture is available for pickup, and residents only need a pail to take it away in, although he requested people take no more than a five-gallon pail at a time.

"We discussed it as a management team and there's some negatives to doing it and some positives, so we'll see how it goes," said Skotheim, noting that

other municipalities have enacted similar programs.

"We just want to reduce the chances of somebody taking a fall," he added.

The pile of sand and salt is located at the southwest corner of the memorial complex property. And though it will help people deal with the ice, there is less salt in the mix than road crews use, he noted.

"We've kind of reduced the amount of salt (for this mixture). The stuff we use on the roads is pretty aggressive and it will affect the sidewalks – it'll eat the concrete a little bit, so this mixture is better," he said.

"Some of our sidewalks, with the way the snow melt has gone this winter, it's really hard to maintain some of the sidewalks and areas, and we thought it would help with the way things are going."

## Fraudsters using Microsoft name to scam, warn police

BY KEVIN VINK  
MVP Staff

Residents have been receiving calls from people claiming to be officials from Microsoft, and police are warning that it is a fraudulent operation.

They call individuals and inform them that their computers have viruses on them, which they offer to remove in exchange for a fee, to be charged to a credit card or sent through Western Union, according to Const. Sheldon Krasniuk.

"We just want to make people aware that Microsoft does not do these types of proactive calls. If you have issues, you have to call Microsoft yourself," said Krasniuk.

Sgt. Jeff Jacobson said he is amazed by the number of people who get calls like

these and actually hand over control of their computers, along with their credit card information.

"Any time somebody is proactively looking to fix your computer, I would ask a lot of questions and be very hesitant to proceed," said Jacobson.

"Ultimately, they won't have access to your computer unless you give it to them, so they won't know if you have viruses or not, short of you giving them that access."

Krasniuk added that, from what the complainant had reported, it sounded like a very legitimate operation.

"The person was professional on the phone, and (the complainant) did feel something in his gut telling him something wasn't right."

The person then phoned Microsoft directly and found that the company does not do proactive work such as this, he said.

## Support and a shoulder to cry on in hard times

BY KEVIN VINK  
MVP Staff

Although few people have heard the name, many people are glad the organization and its volunteers are around when they are needed.

Chinook Arch Victim's Services (CAVS) Society workers are often among the first on the scene after police or other emergency services personnel, providing emotional support to those who have experienced tragedy or domestic abuse.

Roberta Hammer, program coordinator for the society, came to speak at the museum's monthly Coffee Conversation last Wednesday, explaining

what the group does and how it works.

There are two paid staff and about 15 volunteers, with two on-call phones active at any one time, and they cover the Didsbury, Olds and Sundre RCMP detachment areas, she said.

"And typically, most of the time the referrals to the program are from police," said Hammer.

She used a recent example where police had removed a woman and her children from a domestically-abusive relationship.

The CAVS comes in and provides support to victims, often helping them find places to stay or making arrangements for them at shelters, guiding them through each step of the process.

"So the police are involved in laying the charges and getting her out of that situation, but they primarily are dealing with him. Our job is dealing with her," she said.

"While she was making statements, my partner and I were entertaining the kids."

After that, the group set the woman up with some shelters in the area, and will stay in contact with her throughout the court process.

Although this kind of support is very beneficial to victims, it also helps lead to more convictions as well, because victims have an extra support system in place, she added.

"I truly believe we make a really big difference in the amount of convictions due to our program."

The volunteers and staff also work with victims of sexual assault.

"We may assist that person with going to the hospital to have a rape kit done, we would make sure they get the proper counselling resources, and once again we would go with them through the courts and support them as they go through the justice system."

Although they deal with many crime-related files, members are sometimes called onto the scene of fatal accidents and even house fires, providing a shoulder to cry on and emotional support, she noted.

The group has been operating in one form or another since the early '90s, and Hammer noted that they are always glad to take on new volunteers who feel they would fit well into such a role.

"It's very hard work – not necessarily hard physically, but emotionally hard work – but the reward is worth it."

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Kevin Vink/MVP Staff

Phoenix Chaytor, left, and Logan Rahaula hash out accusations as to who they think stole the Egyptian exhibit, during an after-school rehearsal.

## Dinner theatre planned at Didsbury High School

BY KEVIN VINK  
MVP Staff

On the opening day of an Egyptian exhibit at the Nottingham Museum, all manner of guests are invited out to see the unveiling, but then something goes awry.

This is the premise of the play, *Mysterious Night at the Museum*, which is being put on at the Didsbury High School (DHS) by Cali Beazley, the school's drama teacher, and drama students and enthusiasts in the school and area.

The dinner theatre, which involves about 20 actors, will be set up in the DHS gym, and the set will be designed by the technical theatre program that also runs in the school, said Beazley.

There will be dinner to start, with dessert served during the intermission, she added.

Phoenix Chaytor, an Olds Koinonia Christian School student, is playing the role of Brenda Bryan, an art thief, and explained her role.

"So I come to the museum looking to steal the exhibit that's going to be showing up. And I have an assistant named Sebastian, he's kind of an idiot, a big oaf, and so we come to see the exhibit," said Chaytor.

She said it's cool that she's been allowed to participate in the play even though she doesn't attend DHS.

Two of her favourite parts of drama are getting to know other students in the area, as well as the inside jokes that come along with rehearsing together as a group, she added.

The play will take place Friday and Saturday, February 7 and 8, and tickets are available for purchase at both the high school and Victoria's Flowers and Gifts.

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# 'If it sounds too good to be true, it is'

BY KEVIN VINK  
MVP Staff

Between police warnings and public announcements, it would seem that scam warnings have become somewhat redundant, yet the problem of scamming persists.

Deb Johnson, manager of the local Royal Bank (RBC) branch, came to the Didsbury Museum's monthly Coffee Conversation on Wednesday last week to talk about some of the many methods scammers and thieves will use to steal money.

She shared tips to minimize risk, such as never carrying around a social insurance number – whether on a card or a piece of paper – and minimizing the number of cards people carry around with them.

"I don't know how many of you have a suitcase packed full of bills," said Johnson, adding bills should be paid and filed immediately in a safe place, along with social insurance cards and birth certificates.

"Identity thieves, if they've got your social insurance number (or account number and address), they can do a lot with that."

For out-of-country trips, all travellers should bring as far as documentation is concerned is a passport, driver's licence and a bank card, she added.

"And remember to shred things. Don't just throw them into your garbage or recycling as is. Now with our recycling, we put it all on the curb. So you don't want things with your names and addresses in that pile."

Envelopes and attachments can be thrown away, but anything with an account number, name, or address should be shredded.

She also noted that when cutting a card, cut the black strip, and cut the

brass chip into two pieces, and just to be safe, throw out each piece in a separate week's garbage load.

When bills do not arrive, that could also be a sign that somebody is tampering with your mail, although community post offices like the one in town are quite secure in that regard, she noted.

"One big thing is protect your (PIN) and passwords. Cover your hand at the grocery store or at the ATM," she said, adding to never leave a purse or wallet out of reach or sight.

A bank will never call and ask for personal information either, she said.

"If you phone the bank and want to do business they will ask security questions, but if somebody calls you, don't give anything out."

She mentioned phishing is also a prevalent scam, in which an unknown sender, often appearing to represent a bank, will email and link to a fake, yet legitimate-looking banking site, which will then ask for the person to sign in using their online banking account.

This will allow the scammers to log onto the real bank's site, using the user's information, and wreak havoc on personal accounts.

"And if it sounds too good to be true, it is," she added. "If you haven't entered the lottery, you're not going to be a winner."

The worst one she has heard of is when scammers call a senior's residence and say 'grandma' or 'grandpa,' at which point the receiver of the call will usually guess a name, which the scammer will 'confirm.'

Often, the caller informs that they are indeed a relative and are in jail and need bail, or are in some sort of dire financial trouble, and insisting that nobody else in the family finds out.

"Phone your kids and check it out. And don't guess names, ask for names,

because that's how they're picking it up," she said.

She also noted to put a digital lock on cellphones so people who steal them can't use information that may be in them.

One new scam going around is that a delivery person will come to the door and ask for a resident to pay a nominal delivery fee by credit card.

They will swipe the card and then give it back.

"So he asks for a credit card, and boom, he's got you (and copied your card)."

Another big scam is that somebody will be selling some sort of item online, on Kijiji or a similar site.

A fake buyer will send along a cheque

by mail for the item, with the cheque being substantially more than the asking price on the ad.

"So they ask you to send the money back – before the cheque clears – and the cheque doesn't end up clearing by the time you send the money."

"Watch out for those kind of things that are too good to be true. Nobody's going to send you a letter saying you won the lottery, but you have to pay \$400 to get it."

She noted some store clerks will swipe a card, say it didn't work, and then try to swipe the card under the counter or out of sight, copying the data so they can make a duplicate.

She added RBC lost over \$2 million in frauds in Alberta alone in 2013.



Kevin Vink/MVP Staff

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Noel West/MVP Staff

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**GRACE ON ICE - LEFT:** Carly Dunn spins on the ice during a Didsbury Figure Skating Club practice at the Didsbury Memorial Arena on Jan. 15. **RIGHT:** Amy Black, left, and Rowan McCulloch practise together.

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## HOST FAMILIES NEEDED

As part of the Maple Leaf Exchange Program, students from Miki-Town will be visiting Didsbury again in March 2014. We are looking for families willing to open up their home to a Japanese student between the ages of 13 - 15, and let them experience life in Didsbury. Dates for their stay are March 20 – 24, 2014.

If you are interested or would like more information, please contact CynDee Walden, Maple Leaf Exchange Coordinator at 403.335.7724 or by email at [cwalden@didsbury.ca](mailto:cwalden@didsbury.ca).



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Dani Woodman – Development Officer

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# Opinion

## Editorial

### Tougher drunk driving penalties would be welcome

Despite the best efforts of many stakeholders, including Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD), far too many people continue to ignore the simple message that sober driving is always a must.

If current trends hold true this year, more than 1,000 Canadians will die at the hands of impaired drivers on roads and highways over the next 12 months, with thousands more people being seriously injured.

And on top of the vast physical costs in terms of death and injury, there will, of course, also be countless families left to pick up the pieces of their shattered lives.

While everyone hopes that the number of impaired driving-caused deaths will somehow decline sharply in 2014 compared with past years, the hard fact is that that may be only so much wishful thinking.

Yet if the carnage being caused year in and year out by drunk drivers were the result of something else — say, for example, from foreign military attack — would the nation stand for it? The answer would most assuredly be no.

Would things really be allowed to carry on as they have been for the past many years, with thousands and thousands of lives snuffed out with almost clockwork efficiency, if it was due to acts of terrorism? Again, the answer would be no.

So what can and should be done? Perhaps it's time for Canada to start responding to the drunk driver threat the same way it responds to terrorism. That is, make the cost to the terrorist/drunk driver so heavy and so severe that he or she will be forced to think twice and then think again about whether the price is worthwhile.

Drunk driving penalties in Canada, which haven't changed in years, currently start at a \$1,000 fine and a one-year driving prohibition, rising ever so gradually with subsequent and more serious violations.

It's high time for the federal government to use its authority to drastically, not marginally, increase those penalties — and MPs can rest assured that the vast majority of Canadians will support them if they do so.

Hopefully, 12 months from now Canadians will be hearing about how roads and highways are much safer thanks to progressive government action.

What no one wants to see is for 2014 to be a repeat of 2013 — when drunk drivers ran wild while facing only lightweight penalties for ruining the lives of their fellow citizens.

So over the next 12 months, if and when reports come in about drunk drivers killing and hurting Albertans and other Canadians, residents should ask themselves, "What, if anything, is the Harper government doing about it?"

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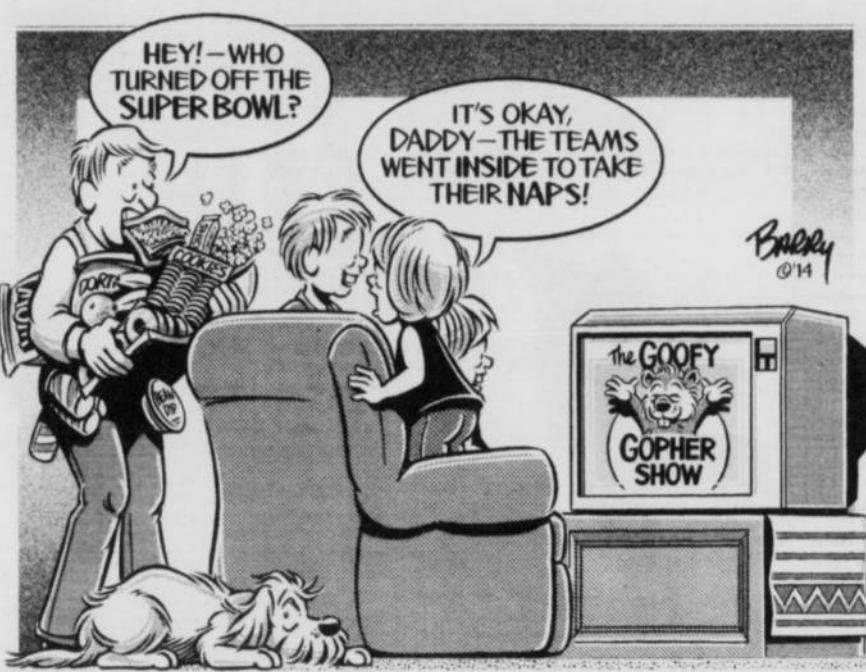


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## Commentary

### Keep moving forward this year

DREW TADDIA

So here we are, a few weeks into New Year's resolutions and the hype is pretty much over with.

Goal fever is dwindling, and what you don't want to hear is most haven't even made it this far. But some of you have.

No matter which category you are in, there's good news — you can still reach your goals and you can still keep moving forward no matter where you're at. Sometimes all we need is a little boost and we'll be back on track.

First of all, I want to let you know the most detrimental thing about not completing a goal, wavering or falling off — however brief — is the guilt we put on ourselves. It's the mental guilt that brings us down.

It affects our emotions, increases stress and makes it harder to get back on track and keep moving forward. So the very first thing I want you to do is let go of that guilt.

We've all been there and we all know what I'm talking about. There's nothing wrong with taking a step back and falling down. Understand each failure brings you closer to your goal, and get back at it.

There are a few exercises that will increase our success rate. Some may resonate with you and others won't — it's important to try different things to see where you

can find your motivation and what will keep you moving forward.

Let's start off with visual aids, because this one is my favorite. Visual aids are a must if you want to increase motivation. Visual aids are constant reminders that will give you a push every time you see them. I always recommend putting up pictures of people or events that inspire you, put them everywhere so they serve as a constant reminder. In the mirror where you get ready in the morning is a great place or you can put them in your schedule book or nutrition journal. Place them on the fridge and other places you frequently visit in the house or at the office.

If you have a goal of fitting into a smaller dress size or dropping some inches, find a dress in your closet that doesn't quite fit, then hang it outside your closet so every time you pass by you see it and are reminded of your goals. This is the same as a suit jacket or jeans for men.

Not everyone is competitive, but betting with friends is another way to find motivation. Research shows even small amounts of money are enough to give you a little push and keep you on track. It doesn't have to be money, but it should be something significant enough to push you that extra mile. I know the threat of doing something embarrassing always makes me work a little harder,

too.

Find an accountability partner. The great thing about this is they can be anywhere in the world, and it doesn't matter who it is. Find a friend or someone willing to check in with you weekly or daily to see if you've been working towards your goals. It doesn't have to be a trainer or even a close friend. Having someone check in on us is often enough to help us keep moving forward.

A friendly competition with friends can also help you stay on track when you're trying to reach a goal. Find a few people and make it game: who can go to the gym the most times in a week? Who can spend the most time on a cardio machine? Whatever it is, find a way to make it fun, because exercise doesn't have to be miserable.

There are a number of different ways to stay on track and stay motivated; it's important to try different things, see what works for you and what doesn't, and keep an open mind and get creative.

It's still a brand new year and a perfect opportunity to start fresh even a few weeks in. There's still time to ride that motivation and find other ways to keep you moving forward and closer to all your health and fitness goals.

*Drew Taddia is a fitness specialist, author, and radio talk show host.*

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# Police briefs

BY KEVIN VINK  
MVP Staff

## Fence damaged

A cage-wire fence around a buffalo enclosure was reported damaged to police, after about 40 feet of fencing was knocked down by an unknown vehicle, say police.

Sgt. Jeff Jacobson said the fence, located near Highway 791, was reported damaged recently, with the owner claiming it happened between January 12 and 19.

The owner was not notified of the damage by whoever hit the fence, and Jacobson said it could have been much worse if there had been livestock in the enclosure at the time.

"In this particular case, if somebody had been involved in going off the road and hitting the fence, we would like to inform them of their responsibility to inform the owner or police and to provide insurance information," said Jacobson.

He added if the person did come forward and make restitution with the property owner, no charges would be laid.

## Snowmobiles in town

There have been numerous reports to police of snowmobiles driving around in town, said Jacobson.

"We've had several more reports over the past week, and in one case officers laid charges related to operating an off-highway vehicle within town limits," he said.

"We're wanting to remind the public that you cannot operate off-highway vehicles within town limits or on private property without the express consent of that property owner."

Drivers are subject to fines and he noted that there has been sufficient information made available to the public that he and his officers will be taking a zero-tolerance policy on the practice.

## Snowblower snagged

A snowblower was stolen from West Heights Drive between Jan. 18 and noon the following day, said Jacobson.

It is described as a red Mastercraft model, and although there are no suspects or witnesses at this point, he encouraged anybody who may have seen suspicious activity in the area to call and report it to police.



## AROUND TOWN

WITH THE DIDSBUY LIBRARY

### January 31

Movies at the Library. Friday Kids Flix at 1 and 3 pm – The Secret World of Arrietty [G] – animated fun based on the terrific children's book series "The Borrowers".

### February 3

"Understanding Anxiety" with Didsbury Addiction and Mental Health "Supportive Conversations" – one hour information session followed a one hour support group for those who struggle with a mental illness, find that emotions are overwhelming, or want to have a group setting to support their Mental Health goals. Monday afternoons from 1:00 to 3:30 pm, beginning February 3rd for 5 weeks. Cost is \$2 per session or \$5 if registering for all 5 weeks.

### February 4

Didsbury & District Health Services Auxiliary Annual General Meeting. Tuesday, February 4 at 2 pm in the Assembly room at the Hospital. Guest speaker will be Marilyn McGregor of the A.H.S.

### February 7 and 8

Friends of the Didsbury Library Book Sale! Friday, February 7 from Noon till 6 pm and Saturday, February 8 from 9 am till 2 pm. At the Didsbury Lawn Bowling Clubhouse 1619 22 Avenue. Proceeds to the Didsbury Municipal Library.

Promote your events in this column. Send info to [didsburylibrary@prl.ab.ca](mailto:didsburylibrary@prl.ab.ca) or drop off copy at Didsbury Library 2033 19 Ave.

# Community Resources

This is a free community event listing service, sponsored by area businesses, provided to non-profit organizations or local community groups. Listing is free to any non-profit organization or community group in the Didsbury

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Call Delta @ 403-335-8767, for meetings, family events or reunions.

#### 5-0 CLUB HALL RENTALS.

For Hall rentals and/or info regarding the hall please call Joyce Gee 403-335-2861.

#### DIDSBUY ELKS HALL RENTALS.

Call Shelley Fakir 403-335-9213.

#### ST. CYPRIAN'S ANGLICAN CHURCH HALL RENTALS

Contact Myrna Watt 403-335-3745.

#### LONE PINE HALL,

which is located east of Didsbury, contact Jo-Anne Hannah at 403-335-4190 for rental information.

#### MOUNTAIN VIEW COMMUNITY HALL

For meetings, community events, family or group reunions call Sharon 403-335-4288.

#### FALLEN TIMBER COMMUNITY HALL

offers an ideal place for quiet safety meetings or fabulous social activities. Please contact Esther McMullen for information at 403-637-2270.

#### MELVIN HALL - [www.melvinhall.ca](http://www.melvinhall.ca)

For rentals: Emily, 403-335-3896.

#### WESTERDALE HALL

Contact Shirley 403-335-4145 or Barb 403-335-4498

### CITIZENS ON PATROL - Didsbury/Carstairs.

Driving in a neighbourhood near you. To volunteer call 403-335-8755.

### CHAMBER OF COMMERCE - Membership meetings are the 2nd Wednesday in June, September, November, and January. For more info please call 403-335-3265.

### DIDSBUY TOPS - Take Off Pounds Sensibly!

Come and join us every Wednesday evening. For more info call Val at 403-335-3990 or Sheila 403-335-9964.

### BEAVERS TUES. - 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. at Eldon Foote Hall. Kids 5 to 7 years old, boys and girls welcome.

**KING HIRAM LODGE #21** - has its regular meetings at 8 p.m. every 2nd Tuesday of the month.

**ST. HILDA CHAPTER #27 O.E.S.** - Has its regular meetings at 7:30 p.m. every 3rd Tuesday of the month. For info. Call Marg Steckler at 403-335-281

**DIDSBUY SENIOR SUPPORT SERVICES** - Co-ordinates assistance for seniors. Call 403-335-4391.

**DIDSBUY SHUTTLE BUS** - Scheduled transportation for anyone on Monday, Wednesdays & Fridays 9 - 3. Please call day prior or by 8:00 a.m. for pick up. 403-507-0208. Wheelchair accessible. Sponsored by the Didsbury Lions Club.

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Support and info for parents and teachers dealing with learning disabilities. For info call Susan at 403-335-3174.

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- meetings are held the first Monday of each month. All persons interested in volunteering and helping to work with the youth in our community are encouraged to come. For location and time please call 403-335-1975.

**PARENT LINK CENTER** - Drop in play. FREE Playtime for Parents and Preschoolers (newborn to 6 yrs). Morning, afternoon and evening playtimes available at Didsbury Neighbourhood Place, Bay 2, 2030 17 Ave. Contact Linda 403-586-5466

**DIDSBUY ELKS LODGE** - supper meetings every 2nd and 4th Thurs. Supper at 7:00 p.m. meeting at 8:00 p.m. Call 403-335-4655.

**SUPPER INVITATION** - The Didsbury Lions Club welcomes men & lady visitors at their

Join us on the last Monday of each month, 7-9 p.m. Aspen Ridge Lodge, 1100 - 20 Ave., Didsbury. 403-335-9848. Dolina Watson, 403-335-7285.

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monthly meeting on the first Tuesday of each month at 2:00 p.m. in Unit 4 at the hospital.

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Youth 12-18 Monday 6:30 - 9:30. Downstairs Victoria Square Mall 403-559-8801.

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### DIDSBUY NEIGHBOURHOOD PLACE

- is a resource centre for the town, we provide information and referral services, community programming, FCSS, resource lending library and meeting space available for rent. Please call 403-335-8719.

**GIRL GUIDES OF CANADA** - For fun, friendship and adventure for girls and women of all ages! Join anytime. Leaders are needed for all units, no experience necessary. Ages: Sparks 5/6; Brownies 7/8; Guides 9 - 11; Pathfinders 12 - 14; rangers 15 & up. Call Karen 403-556-6881 for more information.

**FRIDAYS - CRIBBAGE STARTS** - at the Elks Hall - 7:00 p.m.

**DIDSBUY AL-ANON FAMILY GROUP** - Fridays at 7:00 p.m. at the Masonic Hall, 21 Ave. & 21 St. Suzanne 403-337-3033 or Jennifer 403-335-8388

**MOUNTAIN VIEW CHORALIERS BEGIN THEIR FALL PRACTICES** on Monday evening, Sept. 10 at 7pm. at the FIVE-0 club. If you like to sing come and join us, we are a fun group.

**COMMUNITY VOLLEYBALL NIGHT** - Adult co-ed drop-in Volleyball at Zion Church. Sun. Feb. 3. 7:00pm - 9:00pm. \$2.00/night. Call Garnet 403-335-9820.

**MOUNTAIN VIEW ARTS SOCIETY** - for lovers of art, culture and heritage of Didsbury & Mountain View County. Info at [www.mountainviewartsociety.ca](http://www.mountainviewartsociety.ca) or call 403-335-9445.

**THE ROTARY CLUB OF DIDSBUY/ CARSTAIRS** meets each Wednesday from 5:00 to 6:00pm. Contact Ernie Rockman. 403-335-4739. New Members Welcome!

**DIDSBUY DEMENTIA SUPPORT GROUP** meets every last Monday of the month. 3:00pm. at Aspen Ridge Lodge. Contact Brandee 403-335-7273 or Sharon 403-335-7285.

**MOUNTAIN VIEW CHORALIERS** have started their fall practices. If

**MOUNTAIN VIEW CHRISTIAN WOMEN'S BREAKFAST** - Tuesday Feb. 11/14 9:30am. Redeemer Lutheran Church Gym Didsbury. Free babysitting. For reservations or more info call Anna 403-335-8444.

**GRAND OPENING - PREGNANCY CARE CENTRE** - MARCH 1, 2014. Center Open House from 2-4pm. At 4911-51 Ave. Olds followed by a fundraising banquet and play. Tickets Call Michelle 403-343-1611.

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# Church Directory

The REVIEW is pleased to provide this Church Directory as a community service

### Berghal Mennonite Church

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Sunday Worship Service - 11:00 a.m.

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phone 403-335-4451

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403-335-5551

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[www.venuechurch.ca](http://www.venuechurch.ca)

### St. Anthony's Catholic

2030 - 24 Ave. Didsbury  
For more information please contact  
Catholic Women's League:

Maxine Moreau 403-335-4948

Knights of Columbus:

Gary McNeil 403-335-8611

For more information  
Oils St. Steven's Office

403-336-3084

### Redeemer Lutheran

Lutheran Church Canada

1500 - 23 ST. • Rev. Robert Mohns

Church: 403-335-3161 / Res: 403-335-3656

Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. • Worship - 10:30 a.m.

Adult Bible Study Sunday - 9:30 a.m.

Holy Communion 1 & 3 Sunday 10:30 a.m.

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Small Group Bible Study meetings

throughout the week

### Mountain View Evangelical

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14 km East of Didsbury Pastor Art Numan

Office: 403-335-4422

Morning Worship 11 a.m. • Sunday School 10 a.m.

For information concerning the weekly

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### Anglican Church of Canada

St. Cyprian's

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Rector - David Asher

Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.

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each month

### West Zion Mennonite Church

westzion.com has a map for directions

Senior Pastor Mal Braun

Youth Pastor Josh Tiel

Sunday Services 10:00 am

ALL WELCOME

### Zion Evangelical

Missionary Church

Corner Hwy 582 & 20 Ave.

Phone: 403-335-3629

Mike Morgan, Senior Pastor

Colin Creighton, Associate Pastor

Alison Lefebvre, Youth Pastor

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# Lose weight... get moving!

Are you trying to lose weight by following a diet? Unfortunately, that's not always the best solution. It's much better to start exercising as the theme of this year's Nutrition Month suggests: "Stay active. Eat like a champion".

For many of us, it's very tempting to just follow a diet. After all, it's faster and there's less effort involved, right? But then again... maybe it isn't. A multitude of rapid weight-loss programs are now available to consumers but they are rarely effective over a long period of time.

The lost weight rapidly returns with perhaps even more pounds accumulating.

This is because the body reacts

to a rapid loss in weight by burning ingested calories less efficiently and by storing them more easily in the form of fat.

The restrictions of a diet push us to ignore the signals of hunger and surfeit our bodies send us. By not eating enough we run the risk of suffering from sudden overpowering compulsions to eat.

There are of course some simple and practical strategies which can help us to maintain a healthy body weight and at the same time avoid the harmful effects of diets, both physically and psychologically.

Physical activity is certainly one of the best ways to lose weight and, as a bonus, you will increase your lean muscle mass and your

endurance and you'll feel much more energetic.

You can find all the health information you need in just one place. Go to the section "Healthy eating" at the Canadian Health Network website [www.canadian-health-network.ca](http://www.canadian-health-network.ca). What causes sudden, overpowering urges to eat and how can I avoid them? How do I know how many pounds I should lose? How can I reach a healthy weight? What can I do to control my weight? You'll find the answers to all your questions on this site.

Other information is available on the website of Dieticians of Canada at [www.dietitians.ca](http://www.dietitians.ca). And the rest is up to you!



## What to eat before, during and after endurance training?

Choosing the right foods at the right moment can help you to minimize fatigue or even exhaustion during walks or other activities. Sure enough, an inadequate or unbalanced diet can cause weakness, dizziness, headaches, muscular cramps or a feeling of heaviness in the muscles.

To prevent all of these unpleasant symptoms, lots of fluids should be consumed two to three hours before

participating in any physical activity. Eating a balanced meal containing carbohydrates, such as grain products, fruits and vegetables as well as a small amount of meat, will give you a maximum amount of energy, will prevent you from feeling hungry and will increase the body's fluid levels. Obviously, there are no two people alike. Some athletes, for example, will need to consume even more energy

in the form of cereal bars, fruits or drinks rich in carbohydrates.

During the activity, especially if it's a long hike for example, muscular cramps can occur. This is why it's so important to drink or eat every 15 to 20 minutes during the exercise. Water, sports drinks or diluted juice are all good suggestions. Cereal bars or a dry fruit and nut mix could also be eaten.

Lastly, after a sustained effort the body needs to replenish its energy and fluid reserves. It's advisable to drink and eat as soon as possible after exercise. Of course, water, milk and juice are all recommended. As far as food is concerned, chicken with rice and vegetables or pasta with a meat sauce and a salad are just two ideas for balanced and nourishing meals your body so richly deserves.

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# Remembering Garland Curtis

BY PAUL EVEREST  
MVP Staff

One of Stacia Keenan's favourite memories of her younger brother Garland Curtis is of a Christmas at Garland's home in Airdrie several years ago.

It was one of the first times she and her husband could bring their young sons Aidan and Owen down from Grande Prairie, where her family was living at that time, to visit their uncle.

Garland had chicken wings cooking one evening—a tradition that would continue for years afterwards, as he would always serve his nephews wings "until they couldn't move"—and Stacia's youngest brother was there too.

At one point, Garland came out of a room with two big floppy stuffed dogs from Ikea for the boys and before long, uncles and nephews were just sharing in the joy of each other's company, Stacia said from her home in Blackville, N.B., where she and her brothers were raised.

"Later on that night they're all sitting on the couch together and I remember looking at it and smiling because, there were my two boys sitting with my two brothers all snuggled in together. My boys very much loved that."

Last January, after a long absence, one of the stuffed dogs reappeared in Aidan's arms and Stacia remembered asking her son why he had decided to bring the toy out again.

"He said 'I just felt like having it with me today.'"

That day was two days after Stacia had learned her brother, who had a deep love for his family, a passion for home renovations and remote-control aircraft and a dry sense of humour, had been found murdered in his Airdrie home.

On Jan. 8, 2014, the man who killed Garland a year ago pleaded guilty to second-degree murder and was sentenced to life in prison with no chance of parole for 10 years.

During the hearing, an agreed statement of facts was shared in court.

One of the statements read to the court was that Garland, who was in a relationship with the man who killed him, Dustin Piper, had encouraged Piper to better himself by finding a stable job and taking responsibility for his finances.

Such a conversation, Stacia said, really summed up just how much Garland cared for people and pushed them to better themselves.

"That was the only statement I heard that sounded as if he was standing beside me talking. That was very much him."

It was roughly 10 years ago that Garland headed west from the small town in eastern New Brunswick he had grown up in to work as a human resources consultant in British Columbia and Alberta's oilpatch.

Along with his personal possessions, Garland brought with him the compassion he had shared with his community in Blackville and whenever he learned that someone from the region he had called home was moving west for work, Garland would go out of his way to greet them and welcome them. "If he knew anybody was coming out, even if they were an acquaintance, he would offer them a place to stay," Stacia said.

Garland showed his "unconditional" love for his friends and coworkers by finding them jobs even when he had lost his own or by having an ice cream machine brought into the workplace for their enjoyment, she added.

When Stacia and her family were looking for a home when they returned to Blackville, Garland was there. "When we moved back, we needed a place to stay and without even a thought he opened the door to this place."

And those who knew Garland loved him back.

When his wake was held in Blackville last January, Stacia said people lined up for two hours in the cold to say goodbye.

The show of love for Garland was just as strong at a memorial

Stacia and her mother, May, attended in Airdrie in April for friends and colleagues who couldn't make the trip to New Brunswick.

People in Blackville rallied around Garland's family, Stacia added, as if they had lost one of their own children. "It's a community that you really don't realize that when you go and you come back and something like this happens and you fall down and you fall down so bad you don't know if you're going to be able to get up again, you have a whole community trying to help you up with no thought to themselves because you're part of that community," she said.

And despite the pain Garland's family has experienced as a result of his death, Stacia said she and her parents hope the community will show the same support to the Piper family as they struggle with what's happened. "I can remember my mother saying 'Oh my God, the other family... that poor family, what they will go through.'

Stacia said she and her family are proud of Garland for his tireless love for them and others in his life and added she is thankful that so many people gave such a love right back to her brother.

"I am grateful that he existed in a place where he was accepted unconditionally and loved unconditionally and I think that's a big part of what pushed him forward in his life."

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STACIA KEENAN  
Curtis's sister



Contributed photo

Garland Curtis, who was 40 at the time of his death, shared a great deal of compassion with his friends, family and co-workers, his sister said.

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**SNOW (Tucker), Rosemarie - 59**

Rosemarie left our world on January 10, 2014 to be with the Lord. She is survived by her mother Catherine "Kay" Snow; her sister Cathy (Shawn MacKenzie); brother Russ; her children: Gregory, Donna, Patricia and Katie; her nieces Susan, Sara, Sasha; nephew Kevin; and all their children. She is pre-deceased by her father Gregory F. Snow, brother Steven, and ex-husband Howard Tucker. Rose was a kind, generous person, always wanted to help others. Rose loved to write poetry and draw. She was a huge fan of music and she played the guitar and organ. She was a member of the Zion Church, and belonged to a couple of Christian women's coffee groups. Rose will be sadly missed and fondly remembered. If you would like to make a donation to the Zion Church in Rose's name, we thank you.

**MAX WENDELL HANNA**  
August 28, 1925 – January 15, 2014

Max passed away on Wednesday, January 15 at Edith Cavell Care Centre at the age of 88. Max was born on August 28, 1925 at Armada, Alberta where he eventually took over the family farm. Max moved to Didsbury, Alberta in 1963 to continue his farming career. He sold the farm in 1973 and moved to Lethbridge, Alberta to commence his semi-retirement. Shortly thereafter he entered the car rental business (Budget RAC) in which he remained active for many years. Max was predeceased by two brothers and one sister. He is survived by his wife of 60 years, Betty (Elizabeth) and four children: Bruce (Cathy) Hanna, Karen Hanna, Terry (Sylvia Oishi) Hanna, and Doug (Cheryle) Hanna. Max has ten grandchildren: Curtis, Crystal, Kristy, Erika, Michael, Kimberly, Laura, Kevin, MacKenzie and Riley, and four great grandchildren: Cadence, Koloee, Logan and Layla.

The family wishes to express their appreciation to the staff of Edith Cavell Care Centre for making Max's last year comfortable, as well as to the other health care professionals with whom he had contact. In lieu of flowers donations can be made to the Alzheimer Society of Alberta and Northwest Territories, www.alzheimer.ab.ca

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**2018 - 20 Avenue**



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**\$319,900 + gst**

**1409 - 20 Avenue**



One of the last available vacant lots on the main road coming into Didsbury, zoned Residential/Commercial, 40'x124', ready for your ideas!

**\$64,900**

**15 Millford Lane, Carstairs**



The "Villas at Parkview Estates". Lovely 50+ unit, fully finished, gas fireplace, vaulted ceiling, 2 bdrms, 2 dens, 2 baths, heated single garage, covered patio, great location.

**\$249,900**

**1435 - 21 Avenue**



4 plex revenue property, 2 X 2 bedroom suites and 2 X 3 bedroom suites, bi-level style, centrally located, good parking.

**\$299,000**

**5910 - 60 Street, Olds**



Great Curb Appeal! Great Location! Great Home! 1532 sq ft plus developed basement, open plan, lots of built-ins, glassed in rear deck, low maintenance landscaping, drive-through garage

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**\$174,900**

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Calling all first time buyers or investors, 3 bedroom bungalow style unit, 1-1/2 baths, newer flooring, furnace and vinyl siding.

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